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Contract #: 04-0120F4

Cty: SF/ALA Rte: 80 PM: 13.2/13.9

File #: 69.21

WELDING WITNESS REPORT

Resident Engineer: Pursell, Gary **Report No:** WWR-000160 Address: 333 Burma Road **Date Inspected:** 17-Mar-2007

City: Oakland, CA 94607

OSM Arrival Time: 800 **Project Name:** SAS Superstructure **OSM Departure Time:** 1530 Prime Contractor: American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV

Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island **Contractor: Location:** Shanghai, China

Witness: **Procedure Qualification Record Welder Qualification Fracture Critical** Welding **NDT Mechnical Testing, describe:**

Index Lot #: B71-014-07a Witness Lot #: B71-014-07

Bridge No: 34-0006 **Component:** Bid: 52,55 Tower & Girder

Welder: Zhang Xing Jin/SAW; Jiang Xiao Hu/FCAWID #: N/A

PWPS-B-T-223(2)1T-1 **Joint Description:** B-U2a-GF N/A WPS ID #: N/A **Base Metal:** A709-Gr 50-2/Z25 N/A PQR ID#: HP200712 N/A Thickness: 60 mm FCAW + SAWN/A **Process:** N/A Electrode Spec/Class: See Below **Positions:** N/A 1-G N/A **Backing Material:** A709MCeramic JN 401 N/A **CWI:** N/A Liu Liu and Huang Wei **Average Amps:** 280/ FCAW; 650/SAW N/A **AWS Code:** AWS D1.5 (2002) N/A **Average Volts:** 28.3/FCAW; 33.7/SAW N/A **Applicable Sec:** AWS 5.13 N/A **Travel Speed:** 2.19/SAW & 2.35/FCAW 211.5/FCAW;572/SAW N/A **Heat Input:** N/A

Preheat: 100-230 celsius N/A

Summary of Items Observed:

The Caltrans Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector was present as requested to witness the welding of the Procedure Qualification Record(PQR) test plate HP 200712-3 using flux cored arc welding (FCAW), electrode, in the 1-G(flat) position, electrode specification/clasification A5.20/E71T1-1, diameter of the electrode 1.4 mm for the root pass and additional 3 passes following the supported PQR HP200706 and the submerged arc welding (SAW) electrode specification/clasification A5.17/F7AP2EH14, diameter of electrode 4.8 mm in the 1-G position total of 52 passes following the supporting PQR HP 200708. The welding was performed per the AWS D1.5, Section 5.

13. The welding on the 400 mm test coupon appeared to be in compliance with the contract documents.

Summary of Conversations:

The QA inspector did not have any significant conversations on this date.

is in general conformance with the contract requirements.

Observed welding, testing or results: is not in conformance with the contract requirements.

Comments

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Mazen Wahbeh, (818) 292-0659, who represents the Office of Structural

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Inspected By: Acuna, Alfredo Quality Assurance Inspector **Reviewed By:** McClary,David QA Reviewer